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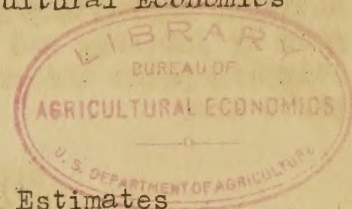
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CROP AND MARKET INFORMATION  
on  
FRUITS AND VEGETABLES

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FRUITS



Apples:

Crop Estimates - gathered by Division of Crop & Livestock Estimates

	Date to which Relates	Date Report Completed	Date Avail- able to Public.
Apples: (total farm crop)			
Estimate of condition and forecast of total production, five reports yearly, June, July, Aug., Sept. and October.	1st of mo.	9th or 10th	9th or 10th
Preliminary estimate of production (annual)	Nov. 1	Nov. 10	Nov. 10
Final estimate of production and value. (annual)	Dec. 1	Dec. 19	Dec. 19
Estimate of quality of the crop. (annual)	Nov. 1	Nov. 10	Nov. 10
Estimate of quantity shipped out of county where grown. (annual)	Nov. 1	Nov. 10 and 15	Nov. 10
Estimate of damage to crop by weather, insects, etc. (annual)	Feb. 1	Mar. 1	Mar. 1
Estimated farm price per bushel, monthly, 12 reports yearly.	15th of month	25th of month	26th of month
Apples used for producing cider or vinegar	May 2	Aug. 2	Aug. 2

Apples: (Commercial crop only.)

Estimates of condition and forecast of production, four reports yearly, July, August, September and October.	1st of mo.	9th or 10th	9th or 10th
Preliminary estimate of production (annual)	Nov. 1	Nov. 10	Nov. 10
Final estimate of production and value. (annual)	Dec. 1	Dec. 9	Dec. 9
Estimate of commercial production, by varieties, Aug. & Nov.	1st of mo.	10th of mo.	20th of mo.
Estimated farm price per barrel, monthly, 12 reports yearly.	1st of mo.	8th or 9th	8th or 9th

Apples (Continued):

Market News - gathered by Division of Fruits and Vegetables.

Daily Reports:

Daily mimeographed market reports are issued in season on the leading fruits and vegetables in large terminal markets. These reports are published at 17 branch offices and in Washington. They include a statement as to weather conditions, carlot and l.c.i. arrivals, cars on track, general supplies, prices paid by jobbers, and other factors affecting the market. Carlot shipments and shipping-point information usually are included. The cities issuing these reports are:

Atlanta	Fort Worth	Pittsburgh
Baltimore	Kansas City	Portland, Ore.
Boston	Los Angeles	St. Louis
Chicago	Minneapolis	Salt Lake City
Cincinnati	New York	San Francisco
Denver	Philadelphia	Washington

Temporary field stations operated in 35 to 40 important producing districts also issue daily mimeographed market reports in season on one or more important fruits and vegetables. A total of 20 products is covered by field stations. These reports are similar to those published in city markets, but include statements as to local weather conditions, loading operations, carlot movement, and prices paid at shipping points. Most field stations publish primary destinations of shipments from their particular territory, and some offices include information on carlot passings or diversions at important gateways.

Auction Reports:

Citrus fruits and many deciduous fruits are handled largely through auction sales in city markets. Auction prices are published by commercial agencies. Cincinnati is an exception to this rule; in Cincinnati the Federal market reporter obtains and publishes the auction prices, because there is no commercial price sheet.

Shipment Reports:

Received daily from several hundred transportation lines, these reports showing the number of cars originating in each division superintendent's territory. About 68 of these reports are known as "consolidated wires," each covering an important railroad system or major portion of such a system. Approximately 400 individual division superintendents or other reporting officials chiefly of smaller transportation lines, send daily wires in season, the total reporting daily being 468, if all should have shipments.

Apples (continued):

Market News - gathered by Division of Fruits and Vegetables.

Shipment Reports: (cont'd.)

About 15,000 <sup>local</sup>/freight and express agents are held accountable for monthly (station) reports by mail, covering a greater number of products than those in the daily wires. As has been the custom for some years, like commodities in the two services are compared and the discrepancies in the number of cars reported are handled with each division superintendent for reconciliation and expected improvement in future reports.

Unloads:

Regular, periodical reports of unloads of important fruits and vegetables are received from 66 cities. Representatives of the Bureau in 25 markets and railroad agents in 41 other markets furnish the unload reports on the following fruits and vegetables. Effective at the beginning of the 1927 season (about June, 1927), pears, plums and fresh prunes were added to the list of commodities:

Apples	Grapes	Peaches	Strawberries
Cabbage	Lemons	*Pears	Sweet Potatoes
Cantaloupes	Lettuce	*Plums	Tomatoes
Celery	Onions	*Prunes	<u>Watermelons</u>
Grapefruit	Oranges	Potatoes	*Beginning June, 1927.

In the following cities, the Bureau's own men obtain the unload information regularly:

Atlanta	Denver,	Omaha
Baltimore	Fort Worth	Philadelphia
Boston	Indianapolis	Pittsburgh
Chicago	Kansas City	Portland, Ore.
Cincinnati	Los Angeles	St. Louis
Cleveland	Minneapolis	St. Paul
Dallas	New Orleans	Salt Lake City
Detroit	New York	San Francisco
		Washington

These reports of unloads of carlot shipments are secured each day from the railroads and express companies. Similar reports are received from important boat-lines. This information is tabulated and submitted to the Washington office in monthly summary form.

Unload reports are submitted at the close of each month by railroad agents in the following cities:

Akron	Dayton	Hartford
Albany	Des Moines	Houston
Birmingham	Duluth	Jacksonville
Bridgeport	El Paso	Lexington, Ky.
Buffalo	Evansville	Louisville
Columbus	Grand Rapids	Memphis

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Apples: (continued)

Milwaukee	Providence	Spokane
Nashville	Richmond	Springfield, Mass.
Newark	Rochester	Syracuse
New Haven	San Antonio	Tampa
Norfolk	Seattle	Terre Haute
Oklahoma City	Shreveport	Toledo
Peoria	Sioux City	Worcester
Portland, Me.		Youngstown

Some of the larger markets, where Bureau representatives are located, obtain regular unload reports on nearly all fruits and vegetables

Temporary Field Stations:

Field stations on apples are operated in season at

Grand Junction, Colo.

Benton Harbor, Mich.

Spokane, Wash.

Rochester, N. Y.

Martinsburg, W. Va.

Grand Rapids, Mich.

Cold Storage: (Collected by the Cold Storage Report Section.)

Cold Storage reports on apples are received from approximately 620 apple firms reporting from 330 cities located in 41 states. These figures are issued monthly from October to June inclusive.

Foreign News on Apples: (Collected by the Foreign Section)

Cables covering the Liverpool apple auctions are received weekly during the export season - September to April, from a representative of the Bureau located in London. Cables carry prices, condition of shipments and state of the market. Information on the Hamburg and Copenhagen markets is usually included. This information is published in full in the series of Foreign Service releases on apples, and summarized weekly in Foreign Crops and Markets. It is also released through the leased wire of the Division of Fruits and Vegetables.

Apricots:

Crop Estimates

<u>Apricots:</u> (California only)	Date to which Relates 1st of mo.	Date Report completed 9th or 10th	Date Avail- able to Public. 9th or 10th
Estimate of condition, four reports yearly, in May, June, July and August	Sept. 1	Sept. 9	Sept. 9
Estimate of production in per cent of a full crop (annual).	Sept. 1	Sept. 9	Sept. 9
Quantitative estimate of commercial production, and value (annual)	Dec. 1	Dec. 19	Dec. 19

Market News:

(no data on Apricots)

Berries:

Crop Estimates:

Strawberries: (Early: Fla.)

Preliminary acreage	Nov.15	Dec.15	Dec.16
Revised acreage and forecast of production	Jan.15	Jan.22	Jan.23

Strawberries: (Early) Ala., La., Calif. (Imperial)  
Tex.

Preliminary acreage	Dec.15	Jan.15	Jan.16
Revised acreage & forecast of production	Mar.15	Mar.22	Mar.23

Strawberries: (Second Early) Ark., Miss., N.Car.,  
S. Car., Tenn. & Va.

Preliminary Acreage	Dec.15	Jan.15	Jan.16
Revised acreage and forecast of production	Apr. 1	Apr. 8	Apr. 9

Strawberries: (Intermediate) Calif. (C. & N.)

Del., Ill., Ind., Iowa, Kans.,  
Ky., Md., Mo., N.J.

Preliminary acreage	Dec.15	Jan.15	Jan.16
Revised acreage & forecast of production	May 1	May 8	May 9

Strawberries: (Late) Mich., N.Y., Ohio, Ore.,  
Penna., Utah, Wash., Wisc.

Preliminary acreage	Dec.15	Jan.15	Jan.16
Revised acreage & forecast of production	May 15	May 22	May 23

Strawberries: (All States)

Final report on acreage, production and farm value		Dec.13	Dec.14
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Berries:

Market News:

Daily market reports in season (see page 2) at New York and possibly one or two other cities on -

- Blackberries
- Dewberries
- Gooseberries
- Huckleberries
- Raspberries
- Currants

Strawberry market reports are issued at all large markets.

Shipment and unload reports on strawberries (see pages 3 and 4).

Temporary field stations on strawberries (see page 2) are operated at -

- Hammond, La.
- Chadbourn, N. C.
- Monett, Mo.
- Pocomoke City, Md.

Monthly cold-storage reports on frozen and preserved fruits (see page 4).

Cherries:

Crop Estimates:

<u>Cherries:</u> (In California only.)	Date to which Relates	Date Report Completed	Date Available to Public
Estimate of condition, two reports yearly, - May and June	1st of mo.	9th	9th
Estimate of production in per cent of a full crop. (annual)	July 1	July 11	July 11
Quantitative estimate of commercial production. (annual)	Dec. 1	Dec. 19	Dec. 19

Market News:

Shipment reports in season (see page 3).

Price reports on private sales in one or two cities; most sales are by auction (see page 2).

Foreign News on Cherries:

Occasionally wired or mailed reports from consuls in Italy covering prospects of the output of preserved cherries, and the probably quantity contemplated for shipment to the United States. Appear in Foreign Crops and Markets.



<u>Cranberries:</u>	Date to which Relates	Date Report Completed	Date Available to Public.
Estimate of acreage, yield per acre, production and value. (annual)	Dec. 1	Dec. 19	Dec. 19
Estimated farm price to producers. (annual)	Dec. 1	Dec. 19	Dec. 19

Market News:

Daily market reports in season (see page 2) at New York and a few other cities.

Monthly shipment reports by mail (see page 3).

Figs:

Crop Estimates:

Figs: (In California only.)

Estimates of condition, four reports yearly - July, August, September and November.	1st of mo.	9th or 10th	9th or 10th.
Estimate of production in per cent of a full crop. (annual)	Nov. 1	Nov. 10	Nov. 10
Quantitative estimate of commercial production and value. (annual)	Dec. 1	Dec. 19	Dec. 19

Market News:

(no data on Figs)

Foreign News on Figs

Irregular reports from consuls and trade commissioners in the Mediterranean Basin covering production prospects, prices and probable and actual exports. Information appears in Foreign Service release series on fruit, and in Foreign Crops and Markets.

Grapefruit:

Crop Estimates:

Grapefruit: (In Florida only)

Estimate of condition, eight reports yearly, May to November, inclusive.	1st of mo.	9th to 11th & 19th	9 to 11th & 19th
Estimate of yield per acre and production in per cent of full crop. (annual)	Dec. 1	Dec. 17	Dec. 17
Estimate of quality of crop. (annual)	Dec. 1	Dec. 17	
Quantitative estimate of commercial crop (annual)	Dec. 1	Dec. 19	Dec. 19
Estimated farm price, monthly	1st of mo.		

Grapefruit:

Market News:

Most sales are by auction (see page 2).

Temporary field station on grapefruit (see page 2) is operated at Orlando, Fla.

Shipment reports (see page 3)

Unload reports (see pages 3 and 4)

Foreign News on Grapefruit:

Appears irregularly in the series of Foreign Service releases dealing with the market for citrus fruit in Great Britain and on the European continent. Such information is reported by the Bureau's fruit specialist working through the office of the American Agricultural Commissioner in London. Includes also reports from consular officers and other sources on production in the West Indies, South Africa, etc, and exports from those areas.

Grapes:

Crop Estimates:

Grapes:

Estimate of condition and forecast of production four reports yearly, July to Oct.  
 Preliminary estimate of production (annual)  
 Estimated quality of crop (annual)  
 Final estimate of production (annual)  
 Estimate of commercial crop in four States (special)  
 Estimated price to producers, six reports yearly, July to Dec, inclusive

	Date to which Relates	Date Report Completed	Date Available to Public
	1st of mo.	9th or 10th	9th or 10th
	Nov. 1	Nov. 10th	Nov. 10th
	Nov. 1	Nov. 10th	Nov. 10th
	Dec. 1	Dec. 19th	Dec. 19th
	Oct. 1	Oct. 9th	Oct. 9th
	15th of mo.	25th of mo.	26th of mo.

Grapes: (In California only.)

For raisins, for table, for juice -  
 Estimate of condition, four reports yearly - July, August, September and October.  
 Preliminary estimate of production (annual)  
 Final estimate of production  
 Estimate of quality of crop. (annual)  
 Estimated prices paid producers, six reports yearly, July to December, inclusive.

	1st of mo.	9th or 10th	9th or 10th
	Nov. 1	Nov. 10th	Nov. 10th
	Dec. 1	Dec. 19th	Dec. 19th
	Nov. 1	Nov. 10th	Nov. 10th
	15th of mo.	25th of mo.	25th of mo.

Grapes:

Market News: (Cont'd.)

Daily market reports in season (see page 2).

Temporary field stations on grapes (see page 2) are operated at  
Fresno, Calif.  
Benton Harbor, Mich.  
Rochester, N. Y.

Shipment reports (see page 3).

Unload reports (see pages 3 and 4).

Lemons:

Crop Estimates:

Lemons: (In California only)

	Date to which Relates	Date Report Completed	Date Available to Public
Estimate of condition, reports, May to November, inclusive.	1st of mo.	9th or 10th	9th or 10th
Estimate of yield and production in per cent of a full crop. (annual)	Dec. 1	19th	19th
Estimate of quality of crop. (annual)	Dec. 1	19th	19th
Quantitative estimate of commercial production and value. (annual)	Dec. 1	Dec. 19	Dec. 19
Estimated price to producers, monthly, 12 reports yearly.	15th of mo.	25th of mo.	25th of mo.

Market News:

Most sales are at auction (see page 2).

Shipment reports (see page 3).

Unload reports (see pages 3 and 4).

Foreign News on Lemons:

During the season for reporting Italian lemons to the United States, the American consul at Palermo cables weekly the state of the market, the price c.i.f. New York and production conditions. There are also frequent reports on the quantity of lemons exported to the United States. All of the above information appears in the Foreign Service release series dealing with citrus fruit, and also in Foreign Crops and Markets. Reports from other producing areas prepared by consular officers and others also appear in the releases. Outstanding items are put on the leased wire of the Division of Fruits and Vegetables.

Limes:

Crop Estimates:

Limes: (In Florida only)

Estimate of condition, nine reports yearly

March to November, inclusive.

Quantitative estimate of Commercial Crop

Date to which Relates	Date Report Completed	Date Available to Public
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1st of mo.	9-11 & 19th	9th -11 & 19th
Dec. 1	Dec. 19	Dec. 19

Market News:

(no data on Limes).

Melons:

Crop Estimates:

Watermelons and Cantaloupes: (See also truck crop)

Estimate of condition, three reports yearly,

June, July and August.

Production in percent of full crop (annual)

Estimate of condition in Florida (annual)

1st of mo.	8th or 9th	8th or 9th
Sept. 1	Sept. 8	Sept. 8
May 1	May 8	May 8

Cantaloupes: (Early) Calif.(Imperial), Fla., Ga. & Tex. (Lower Valley)

Intention to plant

Preliminary acreage

Revised acreage and forecast of production

Feb. 15	Mar. 1	Mar. 2
Mar. 15	Apr. 15	Apr. 16
May 1	May 8	May 9

Cantaloupes: (Intermediate) Ariz., Ark., Calif., Other, Del., Ill., Ind., Md., Nev., No.Car., Okla., S.Car., Tex.(other)

Intention to plant

Preliminary acreage

Revised acreage and forecast of production

Mar. 15	Apr. 1	Apr. 2
May 1	June 1	June 2
July 1	July 8	July 9

Cantaloupes:(Late) Colo., Iowa, Kans., Mich., N.J., N.Mex., Tenn., Wash.

Intentions to plant

Preliminary acreage

Revised acreage and forecast of production

Apr. 15	May 1	May 2
May 15	June 15	June 16
Aug. 1	Aug. 8	Aug. 9

Cantaloupes: (All States)

Final report on acreage, production and farm value

Dec. 13	Dec. 14
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<u>Melons: (Cont'd.)</u> <u>Crop Estimates:</u>	Date to which Relates	Date Report Completed	Date Avail- able to Public.
<u>Watermelons: (Early) Calif. Imperial, Fla.</u>			
Intention to plant	Feb. 1	Feb. 15	Feb. 16
Preliminary acreage	Mar. 1	Apr. 1	Apr. 2
Revised acreage & forecast of production			
Ariz., Ala., Ga., Miss., N.Car., S. Car., & Tex.	May 1	May 8	May 9
Intention to plant	Mar. 15	Apr. 1	Apr. 2
Preliminary acreage	Apr. 15	May 15	May 16
Revised acreage & forecast of production	June 15	June 22	June 23
<u>Watermelons: (Late) Ark., Calif., Colo., Del., Ill., Ind., Iowa, Md., Mo., N.J., Okla., Va. &amp; Wash.</u>			
Intention to plant	May 1	May 15	May 16
Preliminary acreage	June 1	July 1	July 2
Revised acreage & forecast of production	Aug. 1	Aug. 8	Aug. 9
<u>Watermelons: (All States)</u>			
Final report on acreage, production and farm value		Dec. 13	Dec. 14

Market News:

- Daily market reports (see page 2)
- Shipment reports (see page 3)
- Unload reports (see page 3 and 4)
- Temporary field stations (page 2) on

Cantaloupes:

- Brawley, Calif.
- Phoenix, Ariz.
- Rocky Ford, Colo.

Watermelons:

- Leesburg, Fla.
- San Antonio, Tex.
- Valdosta, Ga.
- Macon, Ga.

Melons: Other than Watermelons

Crop Estimates:

Acreage and production of miscellaneous melons (except watermelons) is usually included with reports on cantaloupes.

Market News:

Daily market reports (see page 2) are issued at New York and other cities on such miscellaneous melons as:-

- Casabas
- Honey Dews
- Honey Balls
- Persian melons
- Santa Claus melons
- Winter Queen melons
- Honey Dears

Melons: Other than Watermelons (cont'd)

Market News:

Temporary field stations on cantaloupes often include data on miscellaneous melons; these stations in West are:-

- Brawley, Calif.
- Phoenix, Ariz.
- Rocky Ford, Colo.

Shipment reports on Miscellaneous Melons (see page 3)

Unload reports usually included with cantaloupes (see pages 3 and 4)

Olives:

Crop Estimates:

Olives: (In California only)

Estimate of condition, six reports yearly,  
June to November, inclusive.

Estimate of production in per cent of a  
full crop. (annual)

Quantitative estimate of commercial production  
and value. (annual)

Date to which Relates	Date Report Completed	Date Avail- able to Public
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1st of mo.	9th or 10th	9th or 10th
Dec. 1	Dec. 19	Dec. 19
Dec. 1	Dec. 19	Dec. 19

Market News:

(no data on Olives)

Foreign News on Olives:

Irregular reports on olive conditions in the Mediterranean Basin; state of the crops and markets and amounts available for export. Issued in the Foreign Service series on fats and oils and in Foreign Crops and Markets.

Oranges:

Crop Estimates:

Oranges: (California and Florida)

Estimate of condition, eight monthly reports,  
May to December, inclusive.

Estimated quality of crop (annual)

Estimated farm price, monthly

Quantitative estimate of production and  
value (annual)

1st. of mo.	9-11 & 19th	9-11 & 19th
Dec. 1	Dec. 19	Dec. 19
1st of mo.		
Dec. 1	Dec. 19	Dec. 19

Oranges:

Market News:

Most sales are at auction (see page 2)

Temporary field station on oranges (see page 2) is operated at Orlando, Fla.

Shipment reports (see page 3)

Unload reports (see pages 3 and 4)

Foreign News on Oranges:

Current prices on oranges in the British market are carried in the weekly cable on apples which is received during the apple shipping season. Also consular and other reports on the conditions surrounding that product in those parts of the world producing on a commercial scale. Prices are published weekly during the apple shipping season in the Foreign Service releases on apples, and other information is made available through the releases on citrus fruit and in Foreign Crops and Markets. The leased wire of the Division of Fruits and Vegetables is used also.

Peaches:

Crop Estimates:

Peaches:

Estimate of condition and forecast of production, four reports yearly-June, July, Aug. & Sept. (Southern States Apr.-Sept.)

Estimate of condition in Southern States

Preliminary estimate of production. (annual)

Preliminary estimate of production in Southern States

Final estimate of production and value. (annual)

Estimate of quality of crop. (annual)

Estimate of quality of crop in Southern States

Estimated farm price for five months, May to September, inclusive.

Forecast of carlot shipments

Date to which Relates	Date Report Completed	Date Available to Public
1st of mo.	9th or 10th	9th or 10th
(Apr. 1	Apr.	Apr.
(May	May	May
Oct. 1	Oct. 10	Oct. 10
Sept. 1	Oct. 10	Oct. 10
Dec. 1	Dec. 19	Dec. 19
Oct. 1	Oct. 10	Oct. 10
Sept. 1	Oct. 10	Oct. 10
15th of mo.	25th of mo.	25th of mo.
Dec. 1	Dec. 19	Dec. 19

Market News:

Daily market reports in large cities (see page 2)

Temporary field stations on peaches (see page 2) are operated at  
Macon, Ga.  
Aberdeen, N.C. (or Candor, N.C.)  
Grand Junction, Colo.  
Benton Harbor, Mich.  
Rochester, N.Y.

Shipment reports (see page 3)

Unload reports (see pages 3 and 4)

Pears:

Crop Estimates:

Date to which Relates	Date Report Completed	Date Avail- able to Public.
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Pears:

Estimate of condition and forecast of production, five reports yearly - June to Oct. inclusive.	1st of mo.	9th or 10th	9th or 10th
Preliminary estimate of production and quality of the crop (annual)	Nov. 1	Nov. 10	Nov. 10
Final estimate of production and value (annual)	Dec. 1	Dec. 19	Dec. 19
Estimated farm price, August to January, incl.	15th of mo.	25th of mo.	25th of mo.

Market News:

Most sales of pears are at auction (see page 2)

Daily market reports on pears are published in New York and one or two other cities. (see page 2.)

Temporary field stations on pears (see page 2) are operated at:-  
 Grand Junction, Colo.  
 Benton Harbor, Mich.  
 Grand Rapids, Mich.  
 Rochester, N. Y.

Shipment reports (see page 3).

Unload reports (see pages 3 and 4).

Monthly cold-storage reports (see page 4).

Foreign News on Pears:

Occasional reports from the Bureau's representatives in Europe on the status of the pear crop with relation to its competition with apples. Notes appear in the Foreign Service releases on apples and in Foreign Crops and Markets.

Pineapples:

Crop Estimates:

Pineapples: (In Florida only)

Estimate of condition, three reports yearly, May, June and July, inclusive.	1st of mo.	9th or 10th	9th or 10th
Production in per cent of a full crop (annual)	Aug. 1	Aug. 10	Aug. 10

Market News:

Most sales of pineapples are at auction (see page 2).



Plums and Prunes:

Crop Estimates:

Date to which Relates	Date Report Completed	Date Available to Public.
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Plums and Prunes: (In California only)

Estimate of condition, three reports yearly, June, July and August. (Condition of prunes in September)

1st of mo. 9th or 10th 9th or 10th

Estimate of production of crop in per cent of a full crop. (Plums-Sept.; Prunes-Oct.) (annual)

1st of mo. 9th or 10th 9th or 10th

Quantitative estimate of commercial production and value. (annual)

Dec. 1 Dec. 19 Dec. 19

Market News:

Most sales of plums and fresh prunes are at auction (see page 2).

Daily market reports on these fruits are issued in one or two cities. (see page 2.)

F.o.b. prices obtained at Walla Walla, Wash., & Boise, Idaho.

Shipment reports (see page 3)

Unload reports (see pages 3 and 4)

Foreign News on Plums and Prunes:

Frequent reports during the season from the office of the American Agricultural Commissioner at Berlin and from consular officers on the condition and size of the prune crops of Yugoslavia and France, and on the probable quantities available for export. Also comments on the conditions surrounding demand in the important European markets for American prunes. Information is issued in the Foreign Service releases on prunes, and in Foreign Crops and Markets, and through leased wire to the offices of the Division of Fruits and Vegetables.

Other Miscellaneous Fruits:

Market News:

Daily market reports (page 2) on quinces in New York City.

Monthly shipment reports by mail (see page 3) on:-

- Dried apples
- Dried peaches
- Dried prunes

Daily shipment reports (see page 3) on:-

- Mixed citrus fruit
- Mixed deciduous fruit
- ( Supplement to Fruits )

Christmas Greens:

Market News:

Daily market reports during holiday period (see page 2) issued at New York and other large cities on:-

- Christmas trees
- Holly
- Laurel
- Wreaths, etc.

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Asparagus:

<u>Crop Estimates:</u>	Date to which Relates	Date Report Completed	Date Available to Public.
<u>Asparagus: (Early States) Calif., Ga., So. Car.</u>			
Preliminary acreage	Dec. 15	Jan. 15	Jan. 16
Revised acreage and forecast of production	Mar. 1	Mar. 8	Mar. 9
<u>Asparagus: (Late States) Del., Ill., Iowa., Md., Mich., N.J., Penna. &amp; Wash.</u>			
Preliminary acreage	Dec. 15	Jan. 15	Jan. 16
Revised acreage and forecast of production	May 1	May 8	May 9
<u>Asparagus: (All States)</u>			
Final report on acreage, production and farm value.		Dec. 13	Dec. 14

Market News:

Daily market reports in all large cities (see page 2).

Shipment reports (see page 3).

Beans:

Crop Estimates:

Snap Beans: (Early States) Calif., Fla., Tex.

Intention to plant	Feb. 1	Feb. 15	Feb. 16
Preliminary Acreage	Mar. 8	Apr. 8	Apr. 9
Forecast of production	Apr. 1	Apr. 8	Apr. 9

Snap Beans: (Second Early States) Ala., Ga., La., Miss., N.Car., S. Car.

Intention to plant	Mar. 15	Apr. 1	Apr. 2
Preliminary Acreage	Apr. 8	May 8	May 9
Forecast of production	May 1	May 8	May 9

Snap Beans: (Intermediate States) Ark., Ill., Ky., Md., N.J., Tenn. & Va.

Intention to plant	Apr. 1	Apr. 15	Apr. 16
Preliminary Acreage	May 8	June 8	June 9
Forecast of Production	June 1	June 8	June 9

Snap Beans: (Late) N.Y.

Intention to plant	June 1	June 15	June 16
Preliminary acreage	July 8	Aug. 8	Aug. 9
Forecast of Production	Aug. 1	Aug. 8	Aug. 9

<u>Beans:</u>	Date to which Relates	Date Report Completed	Date Avail able to Public.
<u>Crop Estimates: (Cont'd.)</u>			
<u>Snap Beans: (Fall Crop) La., Miss., N. Car., S. Car., Tex., Va.</u>			
Intentions to plant	July 1	July 15	July 16
Preliminary Acreage	Sept. 8	Oct. 8	Oct. 9
Forecast of production	Oct. 1	Oct. 8	Oct. 9
<u>Snap Beans: (All States)</u>			
Final report on acreage, production and farm value		Dec. 13	Dec. 14
<u>Beans: Lima (California only.)</u>			
Estimate of acreage (annual)	July 1	July 10	July 10
Estimate of condition of crop, three reports yearly, - July, Aug. & Sept.	1st of mo.	10th	10th
Estimate of yield per acre. (annual)	Oct. 1	Oct. 10	Oct. 10
<u>Snap Beans: (For Canning) Ark., Calif., Colo., Del., Ind., La., Maine, Md., Mich., Miss., N.Y., Ore., Penna., S. Car., Tenn., Utah., Wash., Wisc., Other States (Ill., Iowa., Ky., Minn., Mo., Mont., N.J., N. Car., Ohio, Vt., Va.)</u>			
Preliminary acreage	June 8	July 1	July 2
Revised acreage and forecast of production	Aug. 1	Aug. 15	Aug. 16
Final report on acreage, production & value	Sept. 1	Oct. 1	Oct. 2

Market News:

Daily market reports on snap (or string) beans issued by most of the larger market stations (see page 2).

Market reports on Lima beans by New York City and one or two others.

Market reports on fava beans by New York City.

Temporary field stations on string beans (see page 2) are operated at Brownsville, Texas; Belle Glade-Chosen, Fla., and sometimes in North Carolina.

Shipment reports on string beans, daily by wire (see page 3).

Shipment reports on dry beans, monthly by mail (see page 3).

Beans, dry:

Crop Estimates:

Beans, dry: (In principal States.)

	Date to which Relates	Date Report Completed	Date Avail- able to Public.
Preliminary estimate of acreage (annual)	July 1	July 9	July 9
Final estimate of acreage (annual)	Dec. 1	Dec. 17	Dec. 17
Estimate of condition and forecast of production three reports yearly, July, Aug. and Sept.	1st of mo.	8th or 9th	8th or 9th
Preliminary estimate of yield per acre and total production. (annual)	Oct. 1	Oct. 9	Oct. 9
Final estimate of acreage, total production and value. (annual)	Dec. 1	Dec. 17	Dec. 17
Estimated farm price per bushel, monthly, 12 reports yearly.	15th of mo.	25th of mo.	25th of mo.
Estimate of production by varieties	Dec. 1	Jan.	Jan.

Market News:

Monthly shipment reports by mail (see page 3)

Cabbage:

Crop Estimates:

Cabbage: Agricultural Crop. (See also cabbage under truck crops.)

Estimate of condition, four reports, June, July, August and September.	1st of mo.	8th or 9th	8th or 9th
Estimate of conditions in Florida only, two reports, yearly, March and April.	1st of mo.	8th or 9th	8th or 9th
Estimate of yield per acre and production in percent of normal, in all States. (annual)	Oct. 1	Oct. 9	Oct. 9
Estimated farm price per ton and per 100 head, monthly, 12 reports yearly.	15th of mo.	25th of mo.	25th of mo.

Cabbage: (Fall crop) S.Car., Va.

Intention to plant	Sept. 1	Sept. 15	Sept. 16
Preliminary acreage	Oct. 1	Nov. 1	Nov. 2
Revised acreage and forecast of production	Dec. 1	Dec. 8	Dec. 9

Cabbage: (Early) Calif., Fla., La. (Winter) Tex.

Intention to plant	Sept. 15	Oct. 1	Oct. 2
Preliminary acreage	Nov. 1	Dec. 1	Dec. 2
Revised acreage & forecast of production	Jan. 15	Jan. 22	Jan. 23

Cabbage:

Crop Estimates: (Cont'd.)

Cabbage: (Second Early) Ala., Ga., La. (spring)  
Miss., N.Car., S.Car., Va. (E.Shore &  
Norfolk, spring)

Intention to plant

Preliminary Acreage

Revised acreage and forecast of production

Date to which Relates	Date Report Completed	Date Available to Public.
Jan. 1	Jan. 15	Jan. 16
Feb. 1	Mar. 1	Mar. 2
Apr. 1	Apr. 8	Apr. 9

Cabbage: (Intermediate) Ariz., Ark., Ill., Iowa,  
Kans., Ky., Md., Mo., N.J., N.Mex., N.Y.,  
(L.I.), Ohio, (Washington Co.) Tenn.,  
Va., (S.W.), Wash.

Intention to plant

Preliminary acreage

Revised acreage and forecast of production

Mar. 1	Mar. 15	Mar. 16
Apr. 1	May 1	May 2
June 1	June 8	June 9

Cabbage: (Late States), Colo., Ind., Mich., Minn.,  
N.Y., (except L.I.) Ohio (except Wash.  
Co.), Oreg., Penna., Wisc.

Intention to plant

Preliminary acreage (Estimates of acreage in  
Domestic and Danish cabbage)

Forecast of production of Domestic crop

Revised acreage and forecast of production  
of Danish crop.

June 1	June 15	June 16
July 1	Aug. 8	Aug. 9
Aug. 1	Aug. 8	Aug. 9
Sept. 1	Sept. 8	Sept. 9

Cabbage: (All States)

Final report on acreage, production and farm  
value.

Dec. 13 Dec. 14

Cabbage: (For Kraut)

Preliminary acreage

Forecast of production

June 8	July 15
Sept. 1	Sept. 8

Market News:

Daily market reports (page 2) issued in all larger markets.

Temporary field stations on cabbage (page 2) operated at:-  
Brownsville, Texas  
Rochester, N. Y.

Shipment reports (page 3)

Unload reports (pages 3 and 4)

Carrots:

<u>Crop Estimates:</u>	Date to which Relates	Date Report Completed	Date Avail- able to Public.
<u>Carrots: (Fall) Calif.</u>			
Preliminary acreage	Sept. 1	Oct. 1	Oct. 2
Revised acreage and forecast of production	Nov. 1	Nov. 8	Nov. 9
<u>Carrots: (Early) Tex.</u>			
Preliminary acreage	Dec. 8	Jan. 8	Jan. 9
Revised acreage and forecast of production	Jan. 1	Jan. 8	Jan. 9
<u>Carrots: (Second Early) Calif., La., Miss.,     N.Car., S.Car.</u>			
Preliminary acreage	Feb. 1	Mar. 1	Mar. 2
Revised acreage and forecast of production	Apr. 15	Apr. 22	Apr. 23
<u>Carrots: (Intermediate) N.J.</u>			
Preliminary acreage	May 8	June 8	June 9
Forecast of production	June 1	June 8	June 9
<u>Carrots: (Late) Colo., Ill., Ind., Mass., Mich.     Minn., Ohio, N.Y.</u>			
Preliminary acreage	July 1	Aug. 1	Aug. 2
Revised acreage and forecast of production	Sept. 1	Sept. 8	Sept. 9
<u>Carrots: (All States)</u>			
Final report on acreage, production and value.		Dec. 13	Dec. 14

Market News:

New York City and one or two other markets sometimes obtain and publish daily market reports on carrots.

F. o. b. prices are obtained from southern shipping sections and western New York.

Shipment reports by wire.

Cauliflower:

Crop Estimates:

Cauliflower: (Late) Colo., N.J., N.Y. (Other)  
    Utah, Wash.

Preliminary acreage	July 1	Aug. 1	Aug. 2
Revised acreage and forecast of production	Aug. 15	Aug. 22	Aug. 23

Cauliflower: (Fall crop) N.Y. (L.I.) & Ore.

Preliminary acreage	Aug. 1	Sept. 1	Sept. 2
Revised acreage and forecast of production	Oct. 1	Oct. 8	Oct. 9

Cauliflower:

<u>Crop Estimates:</u>	Date to which Relates	Date Report Completed	Date Available to Public.
<u>Cauliflower:</u> (All States) Final report on acreage, production and farm value		Dec. 13	Dec. 14
<u>Cauliflower:</u> Calif. (Fall & Winter) Preliminary acreage	Sept. 1	Oct. 1	Oct. 2
Revised acreage and forecast of production	Nov. 1	Nov. 8	Nov. 9
<u>Cauliflower:</u> (Spring) Oreg. Calif.(Spring) Preliminary acreage	Jan. 1	Feb. 1	Feb. 2
Revised acreage and forecast of production	Mar. 1	Mar. 8	Mar. 9
<u>Cauliflower:</u> (In California Only).(See also truck Crops.) Estimate of condition, two reports, yearly, in March and April.	1st. of mo.	8th or 9th	8th or 9th
Estimate of production in percent of a full crop (annual)	May 1	May 8	May 8

Market News:

Daily market reports (page 2) issued in many cities.

Shipment reports (page 3).

Celery:

<u>Crop Estimates:</u>	Date to which Relates	Date Report Completed	Date Available to Public.
<u>Celery:</u> (In California only, see also truck crops.) Estimate of condition. (annual)	Mar. 1	Mar. 8	Mar. 8
Estimate of production in percent of fall crop. (annual)	Apr. 1	Apr. 9	Apr. 9
<u>Celery:</u> (Early) Fla. Intention to plant	Sept. 15	Oct. 1	Oct. 2
Preliminary acreage	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Nov. 16
Revised acreage and forecast of production	Feb. 1	Feb. 8	Feb. 9
<u>Celery:</u> (Late) Colo., Ida., Mich., N.J., N.Y., Ohio, Oreg., Penna. Intention to plant	June 1	June 15	June 16
Preliminary acreage	July 1	Aug. 1	Aug. 2
Revised acreage and forecast of production	Aug. 15	Aug. 22	Aug. 23
<u>Celery:</u> (Fall) Calif. Intention to Plant	July 1	Aug. 1	Aug. 2
Preliminary acreage	Aug. 1	Sept. 1	Sept. 2
Revised acreage and forecast of production	Nov. 1	Nov. 8	Nov. 9

Celery:

Crop Estimates:

Celery: (All States)

Final report on acreage, production and farm value.

Date to which Relates	Date Report Completed	Date Available to Public.
	Dec. 13	Dec. 14

Celery:

Delta Crop: (Fall & Winter)

Intentions  
 Preliminary Acreage  
 Revised acreage and forecast of production

July 1	July 15	July 16
Aug. 1	Sept. 1	Sept. 2
Nov. 1	Nov. 8	Nov. 9

Spring Crop:

Intentions  
 Preliminary Acreage  
 Revised acreage and forecast of production

Oct. 1	Oct. 15	Oct. 16
Nov. 1	Dec. 1	Dec. 2
Jan. 1	Jan. 8	Jan. 9

Summer Crop:

Intentions  
 Preliminary acreage  
 Revised acreage and forecast of production

Dec. 1	Dec. 15	Dec. 16
Jan. 1	Feb. 1	Feb. 2
Mar. 15	Mar. 22	Mar. 23

Market News:

Daily market reports (page 2) issued in all larger markets.

Temporary field stations on celery (page 2) operated at Sanford, Fla. Rochester, N.Y.

Shipment reports (page 3)

Unload reports (pages 3 and 4)

Foreign News on Celery:

Seasonal reports from the consuls in the producing areas of the West Indies and Mexico on the condition of the crops, markets and the quantity shipped to the United States. Published in the Foreign Service release series on vegetables, and in Foreign Crops and Markets.

Corn, sweet:

Crop Estimates:

Sweet Corn: (for canning) Del., Ill., Ind., Iowa, Me., Md., Mich., Minn., Nebr., N.H., N.Y., Ohio, Penna., Vt., Wisc. Other States (Ida., S.D., Tenn., Wyo.)

Preliminary acreage	June 8	July 15	July 16
Revised acreage and forecast of production	Aug. 1	Aug. 15	Aug. 16
Final report on acreage, production & value.	Oct. 1	Dec. 1	Dec. 2



Corn, sweet:  
Market News:

Daily market reports (page 2) in New York City and a few other markets.

F.o.b. prices in season from lower Rio Grande Valley.

Cucumbers:

Crop Estimates:

Cucumbers for Pickles:

Preliminary acreage  
Forecast of production

Date to which Relates	Date Report Completed	Date Available to Public.
June 8	July 15	July 16
Sept. 1	Sept. 8	Sept. 9

Cucumbers: (Early) Fla. & Texas.

Intention to plant  
Preliminary acreage  
Revised acreage and forecast of production

Feb. 1	Feb. 15	Feb. 16
Mar. 1	Apr. 1	Apr. 2
Apr. 15	Apr. 22	Apr. 23

Cucumbers: (Early) Ala., Ga., La., S.Car.

Intention to plant  
Preliminary acreage  
Revised acreage and forecast of production

Feb. 15	Mar. 1	Mar. 2
Apr. 1	May 1	May 2
May 15	May 22	May 23

Cucumbers: (Second Early) Ark., Calif., N.Car., Va.

Intention to plant  
Preliminary acreage  
Revised acreage and forecast of production

Mar. 1	Mar. 15	May 16
Apr. 15	May 15	May 16
June 1	June 8	June 9

Cucumbers: (Intermediate) Del., Ill.(S.Dist.)  
Md. & N.J.

Intention to plant  
Preliminary acreage  
Revised acreage and forecast of production

Apr. 1	Apr. 15	Apr. 16
May 15	June 15	June 16
July 1	July 8	July 9

Cucumbers: (Late) N.Y.

Intention to plant  
Preliminary acreage  
Revised acreage and forecast of production

May 1	May 15	May 16
June 15	July 15	July 16
Aug. 1	Aug. 8	Aug. 9

Cucumbers: (All States)

Final report on acreage, production and farm value

Dec. 13	Dec. 14
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Market News:

Daily market reports (page 2) in many larger markets.

Shipment reports (page 3).

Foreign News on Cucumbers:

Seasonal reports from the consuls in the producing areas of the West Indies and Mexico on the condition of the crops, markets and the quantity shipped to the United States. Published in the Foreign Service release series on vegetables, and in Foreign Crops and Markets.

Eggplant:

Crop Estimates:

	Date to which Relates	Date Report Completed	Date Available to Public
<u>Eggplant: (Fall crop) Fla. &amp; Tex.</u>			
Acreage	Oct. 8	Nov. 8	Nov. 9
Forecast of production	Nov. 1	Nov. 8	Nov. 9
<u>Eggplant: (Early) Fla.</u>			
Acreage	Mar. 8	Apr. 8	Apr. 9
Forecast of production	Apr. 1	Apr. 8	Apr. 9
<u>Eggplant: (Second Early) S.Car. &amp; Va.</u>			
Acreage	June 1	July 3	July 5
Forecast of production	July 1	July 8	July 9
<u>Eggplant: (Late) N.J.</u>			
Acreage	July 8	Aug. 8	Aug. 9
Forecast of production	Aug. 1	Aug. 8	Aug. 9
<u>Eggplant: (All States)</u>			
Final report on acreage, production and value.		Dec. 13	Dec. 14

Market News:

Daily market reports (page 2) in many larger markets.

Shipment reports (page 3)

Lettuce:

Crop Estimates:

Lettuce: (Early) Ariz., Calif. (Imperial) Fla., and Tex.

Intention to plant	Sept. 1	Sept. 15	Sept. 16
Preliminary acreage	Oct. 1	Nov. 1	Nov. 2
Revised acreage and forecast of production	Dec. 1	Dec. 8	Dec. 9

Lettuce: (Second Early) Ariz. (spring) Calif. (Other, spring), N.Car., S.Car.

Intention to plant	Jan. 15	Feb. 1	Feb. 2
Preliminary acreage	Feb. 1	Mar. 1	Mar. 2
Revised acreage and forecast of production	Mar. 15	Mar. 22	Mar. 23

Lettuce: (Intermediate) Ida. (spring) N.J., Oreg., Va. & Wash.

Intention to plant	Mar. 1	Mar. 15	Mar. 16
Preliminary acreage	Apr. 1	May 1	May 2
Revised acreage and forecast of production	May 15	May 22	May 23

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Lettuce:

Crop Estimates:

Lettuce: (Late) Colo., N.Mex., N.Y., Penna.

Intention to plant  
Preliminary acreage  
Revised acreage and forecast of production

Date to which Relates	Date Report Completed	Date Avail- able to Public.
May 1	May 15	May 16
June 1	July 1	July 2
July 15	July 22	July 23

Lettuce: (Fall crop) Calif. Other Ida., N.J.,  
Oreg., Va., Wash., Wyo.

Intention to plant  
Preliminary acreage  
Revised acreage and forecast of production

Date to which Relates	Date Report Completed	Date Avail- able to Public.
July 1	July 15	July 16
Aug. 1	Sept. 1	Sept. 2
Oct. 1	Oct. 8	Oct. 9

Lettuce: (All States)

Final report on acreage, production and farm value.

Date Report Completed	Date Avail- able to Public.
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Market News:

Daily market reports (page 2)

Temporary field stations on lettuce (page 2) operated at  
El Centro, Calif.  
Rochester, N.Y.  
Phoenix, Ariz.

Shipment reports (page 3)

Unload reports (pages 3 and 4).

Foreign News on Lettuce:

Same as Cucumbers.

Onions:

Crop Estimates:

Onions:

Estimate of condition, four reports yearly,  
June, July, August and September.

Estimates of yield per acre and production in  
percent of a full crop. (annual)

Estimated farm price per bushel, monthly  
12 reports yearly.

1st. of mo.	8th or 9th	8th or 9th
Oct. 1	Oct. 9	Oct. 9
15th of mo.	25th of mo.	25th of mo

Onions: (Early States, Bermuda & Creole)

Calif., La., & Tex.

Intention to plant  
Preliminary acreage  
Revised acreage and forecast of production

Date to which Relates	Date Report Completed	Date Avail- able to Public.
Oct. 15	Nov. 1	Nov. 2
Dec. 1	Jan. 1	Jan. 2
Apr. 1	Apr. 8	Apr. 9

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Onions:

Crop Estimates:	Date to which Relates	Date Report Completed	Date Available to Public.
<u>Onions:</u> (Intermediate) Iowa (Scott Co. Dist.) Ky., N.J., Va. & Wash.			
Intention to plant	Mar. 1	Mar. 15	Mar. 16
Preliminary acreage	Apr. 1	May 1	May 2
Revised acreage and forecast of production	June 15	June 22	June 23

Onions: (Late States) Calif., Colo., Ida., Ill.,  
Ind., Iowa (Mitchell Co. Dist.), Mass.,  
Mich., Minn., N.Y., Ohio, Ore., Penna.,  
Utah, Wisc.

Intention to plant	Apr. 15	May 1	May 2
Preliminary acreage	June 1	July 1	July 2
Revised acreage and forecast of production	Aug. 1	Aug. 8	Aug. 9
Revised forecast of production	Sept. 1	Sept. 8	Sept. 9

Onions: (All States)

Final report on acreage production and farm value	Dec. 13	Dec. 14
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Market News:

Daily market reports (page 2)

Temporary field stations on onions (page 2) operated at  
 Laredo, Texas  
 Crystal City, Texas  
 Farmersville, Texas  
 Benton Harbor, Mich.  
 Grand Rapids, Mich.  
 Grand Junction, Colo.  
 Rochester, N.Y.

Shipment reports (page 3.)

Unload reports (pages 3 and 4).

Foreign News on Onions:

Consuls in Egypt and Spain cable to the Bureau the quantities of onions shipped to the United States, together with the port of destination and the approximate date of arrival. Cables are sent whenever shipments are made during the season. Information is disseminated through the leased wire system of the Division of Fruits and Vegetables, and in the Foreign Service release series on onions, and in Foreign Crops and Markets. Includes also current prices and comments on the state of the market.

<u>Peas:</u>	Date to which Relates	Date Report Completed	Date Available to Public
<u>Crop Estimates:</u>			
<u>Edible Peas:</u>			
Estimate of acreage planted (annual)	July 1	July 8	July 8
Estimates of condition of crop, three reports yearly, June, July and August.	1st of mo.	8th or 9th	8th or 9th
Estimated yield per acre (annual)	Sept. 1	Sept. 8	Sept. 8
Final estimate of acreage, production and value. (annual)	Dec. 1	Dec. 17	Dec. 17
<u>Peas: (green) Fall crop. Ariz., Calif. (Imperial) and Texas.</u>			
Preliminary acreage	Oct. 8	Nov. 8	Nov. 9
Forecast of production	Nov. 1	Nov. 8	Nov. 9
<u>Peas: (Early) Ariz., Calif. (Imperial) &amp; Fla.</u>			
Preliminary acreage	Feb. 8	Mar. 8	Mar. 9
Forecast of production	Mar. 1	Mar. 8	Mar. 9
<u>Peas: (Second Early) Calif. (Other), Miss., S.Car.</u>			
Preliminary acreage	Mar. 8	Apr. 8	Apr. 9
Forecast of production	Apr. 1	Apr. 8	Apr. 9
<u>Peas: (green) Intermediate. Md., N.Car., Tenn., &amp; Va.</u>			
Preliminary acreage	Apr. 8	May 8	May 9
Forecast of production	May 1	May 8	May 9
N.J., Utah & Wash.			
Preliminary acreage	May 8	June 8	June 9
Forecast of production	June 1	June 8	June 9
<u>Peas: (Late) Colo., Ida., N.Y.</u>			
Preliminary acreage	June 8	July 8	July 9
Forecast of production	July 1	July 8	July 9
Calif. (Other), N.Mex., Va. (Norfolk)			
Preliminary acreage	Aug. 8	Sept. 8	Sept. 9
Forecast of production	Sept. 1	Sept. 8	Sept. 9
<u>Peas: (green) All States:</u>			
Final report on acreage, production and farm value		Dec. 13	Dec. 14
<u>Green Peas: (for canning) Calif., Colo., Del., Ill., Ind., Me., Md., Mich., Minn., N.J., N.Y., Ohio, Pa., Utah, Wisc. Other States (Ida., Iowa, Mont., Tenn., Wash. &amp; Wyo.)</u>			
Preliminary acreage	May 1	June 1	June 2
Revised acreage and forecast of production	June 1	June 15	June 16
Final report on acreage, production and value	Aug. 1	Sept. 1	Sept. 2

Peas:

Market News:

Daily market reports (page 2) in many larger markets.

Shipment reports (page 3).

Foreign News on Peas:

Seasonal reports from the consuls in the producing areas of the West Indies and Mexico on the condition of the crops, markets and the quantity shipped to the United States. Published in the Foreign Service release series on vegetables and in Foreign Crops and Markets.

Peppers:

Crop Estimates:

	Date to which Relates	Date Report Completed	Date Available to Public
<u>Peppers:</u> (green) Fall crop. Calif., Ga., Tex. & Va.			
Preliminary acreage	Sept. 8	Oct. 8	Oct. 9
Revised acreage and forecast of production	Oct. 1	Oct. 8	Oct. 9
<u>Peppers:</u> (early) Fla.			
Preliminary acreage	Mar. 1	Apr. 1	Apr. 2
Revised acreage and forecast of production	May 1	May 8	May 9
<u>Peppers:</u> (Second Early) Ga., La., Miss. N. Car., S. Car. & Texas.			
Preliminary acreage	May 1	June 1	June 2
Revised acreage and forecast of production	June 15	June 22	June 23
<u>Peppers:</u> (Late) N.J.			
Preliminary acreage	June 1	July 1	July 2
Revised acreage and forecast of production	Aug. 1	Aug. 8	Aug. 9
<u>Peppers:</u> (fall crop) Fla.			
Preliminary acreage	Oct. 8	Nov. 8	Nov. 9
Forecast of production	Nov. 1	Nov. 8	Nov. 9
<u>Peppers:</u> (All States)			
Final report on acreage, production and farm value		Dec. 13	Dec. 14

Market News:

Daily market reports (page 2) in many larger markets.

Temporary field station on peppers (page 2) operated at Belle Glade, Chosen, Fla.

Shipment reports (page 3).

Foreign News on Green Peppers:

Same as Peas.

Potatoes:

Crop Estimates:

Potatoes:

	Date to which Relates	Date Report Completed	Date Avail- able to Public.
Preliminary estimate of acreage (annual)	July 1	July 10	July 10
Final estimate of acreage (annual)	Dec. 1	Dec. 19	Dec. 19
Estimate of acreage of potatoes in Florida only. (annual)	Feb. 1	Feb. 9	Feb. 9
Estimate of condition and forecast of production, four reports yearly - July, Aug., Sept. & Oct.	1st of mo.	9th or 10th	9th or 10th
Condition of crop in Florida only, four reports, February, Mar., April and May	1st of mo.	10th	10th
Preliminary estimate of yield per acre and total production (annual)	Nov. 1	Nov. 10	Nov. 10
Final estimate of acreage, total production and value. (annual)	Dec. 1	Dec. 14	Dec. 14
Estimated stocks of potatoes on farms	Mar. 1	Mar.	Mar.
Estimate of amount shipped, out of county where grown. (annual)	Mar. 1		
Estimate of marketable stocks held by growers and dealers and estimated utilization.	Jan. 1	Feb.	Feb.
Estimate of damage to crop from weather, insects, etc. (annual)	Feb. 1	Mar. 1	Mar. 1
Estimate of quality. (annual)	Nov. 1	Nov. 10	Nov. 10
Estimated price (farm), monthly, 12 reports (annually)	15th	25th	25th
Report on farmers' intentions to plant (special)	Mar. 1	Mar. 18	Mar. 18
<u>Early Irish Potatoes: (Early) Fla., Tex. L. Valley.</u>			
Intention to plant	Dec. 15	Jan. 1	Jan. 2
Preliminary acreage	Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Feb. 16
Revised acreage & forecast of production Ala., Calif., Ga., La., Miss., N. Car., S. Car., Tex. (Other), Va.	Apr. 1	Apr. 8	Apr. 9
Intention to plant	Feb. 1	Feb. 15	Feb. 16
Preliminary acreage	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	Apr. 16
Revised acreage and forecast of production	May 1	May 8	May 9

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Potatoes:

<u>Crop Estimates: (Cont'd.)</u>	Date to which	Date Report Completed	Date Available to Public.
<u>Potatoes, Early Irish: (Second Early) Ark., Kan., Ky., Md., Mo., Nebr., N.J., Okla.</u>	Relates		
Intention to plant	Mar. 1	Mar. 15	Mar. 16
Preliminary acreage	Apr. 15	May 15	May 16
Revised acreage and forecast of production	June 1	June 8	June 9

Early Irish Potatoes: (All States)

Final report on acreage, production & farm value		Dec. 13	Dec. 14
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Early Irish Potatoes: (Second Early)

Intention to plant	Mar. 1	Apr. 1	Apr. 2
Preliminary acreage	Apr. 15	May 15	May 16
Revised acreage and forecast of production	June 15	June 22	June 23

Early Irish Potatoes: (All States)

Final report on acreage, production & farm value		Dec. 1	Dec. 2
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Market News:

Daily market reports (page 2).

Temporary field stations on potatoes (page 2) operated at -  
Belle Glade-Chosen, Fla.                      Benton Harbor, Mich.  
Brownsville, Texas                              Grand Rapids, Mich.  
Hastings, Fla.                                    Idaho Falls, Idaho  
Mobile, Ala.                                        Presque Isle, Maine  
Elizabeth City, N.C.                              Rochester, N.Y.  
Pocomoke City, Md.                                Waupaca, Wis.  
Grand Junction, Colo.

Shipment reports (page 3).

Unload reports (pages 3 and 4).

Foreign News on Potatoes:

Consular and other reports on crop prospects in Canada and the probable quantities of seed and table potatoes available for export to the United States and Cuba. Also reports on the state of the West Indian potato market. Appear in Foreign Crops and Markets.

Spinach:

Crop Estimates:

Spinach: (Fall Crop) Ill., Md., Mo., N.J., Va., Wash.

Intention to plant	Aug. 1	Aug. 15	Aug. 16
Preliminary acreage	Sept. 1	Oct. 1	Oct. 2
Revised acreage and forecast of production	Nov. 1	Nov. 8	Nov. 9

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Spinach:

<u>Crop Estimates: (Cont'd.)</u>	Date to which Relates	Date Report Completed	Date Available to Public
<u>Spinach: (Winter Crop) Calif., La., N. Car., S. Car., Tex.</u>			
Intention to plant	Sept. 1	Sept. 15	Sept. 16
Preliminary acreage	Nov. 1	Dec. 1	Dec. 2
Revised acreage & forecast of production	Jan. 1	Jan. 8	Jan. 9
<u>Spinach: (Spring Crop) Calif., Md., Mo., Va., Wash.</u>			
Intention to plant	Feb. 1	Feb. 15	Feb. 16
Preliminary acreage	Mar. 1	Apr. 1	Apr. 2
Revised acreage & forecast of production	Apr. 15	Apr. 22	Apr. 23
<u>Spinach: (All States)</u>			
Final report on acreage, production & farm value		Dec. 13	Dec. 14

Market News:

Daily market reports (page 2).

Temporary field stations on spinach (page 2) operated at -  
Brownsville, Texas  
San Antonio, Texas

Shipment reports (page 3).

Sweet Potatoes:

Crop Estimates:

Sweet Potatoes:

Preliminary estimate of acreage (annual)	June 1	July 11	July 11
Final estimate of acreage (annual)	Dec. 1	Dec. 19	Dec. 17
Estimate of condition and forecast of production, four reports yearly, July, August, September and October.		1st of mo. 9th to 11th	9th to 11th
Preliminary estimate of yield per acre, and total production. (annual)	Nov. 1	Nov. 10	Nov. 10
Final estimate of yield per acre, total production and value. (annual)	Dec. 1	Dec. 19	Dec. 19
Estimate quality of crop. (annual)	Nov. 1	Nov. 10	Nov. 10
Estimated farm price per bushel, monthly 12 reports yearly.		15th of mo. 25th of mo.	25th of mo.
Estimate of farmers' intentions to plant	Mar. 1	Mar. 18	Mar. 18

Sweet Potatoes: (Cont'd.)

Market News:

Daily market reports (page 2); part of year, semi-weekly.

Temporary field station on sweet potatoes (page 2) operated at -  
Pocomoke City, Md.

Shipment reports (page 3).

Unload reports (pages 3 and 4).

Tomatoes:

Crop Estimates:

Date to which Relates	Date Report Completed	Date Available to Public.
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Tomatoes:

Intention to plant	Apr. 25	May 25	May 26
Preliminary acreage	June 1	July 1	July 2
Revised acreage & forecast of production	Aug. 1	Aug. 8	Aug. 9
Revised report on acreage and production	Oct. 1	Nov. 1	Nov. 2
Final report on acreage, production and value		Dec. 1	Dec. 2

Tomatoes: (Fall crop) Tex.

Intention to plant	Sept. 1	Sept. 15	Sept. 16
Preliminary acreage	Oct. 8	Nov. 8	Nov. 9
Forecast of production	Nov. 1	Nov. 8	Nov. 9

Tomatoes: (Early) Fla., E. Coast S.,

Intention to plant	Oct. 15	Nov. 1	Nov. 2
Preliminary acreage	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	Dec. 16
Revised acreage & forecast of production Calif. (Imperial), Fla., W.C.S. & Other, Texas, Lower Valley	Feb. 15	Feb. 22	Feb. 23
Intention to plant	Jan. 15	Feb. 1	Feb. 2
Preliminary acreage	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Mar. 16
Revised acreage & forecast of production	Apr. 15	Apr. 22	Apr. 23

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Tomatoes:

Crop Estimates: (Cont'd.)

	Date to which Relates	Date Report Completed	Date Available to Public
<u>Tomatoes: (Second Early) Ga., La., Miss., S.Car., Tex. East &amp; Other.</u>			
Intention to plant	Mar. 1	Mar. 15	Mar. 16
Preliminary acreage	Apr. 1	May 1	May 2
Revised acreage & forecast of production	May 15	May 22	May 23

Tomatoes: (Intermediate) Ark., Ill. Union Co., Md. E. Shore, N.J., Ohio, Wash. Co., Tenn. & Utah.

Intention to plant	May 15	Apr. 1	Apr. 2
Preliminary acreage	Apr. 15	May 15	May 16
Revised acreage & forecast of production	June 15	June 22	June 23

Tomatoes: (Late) Calif., Colo., Del., Ill., Ind., Iowa, Ky., Md., Other, Mich., Mo. N.Y., Ohio, Penna., Utah, Va.

Intention to plant	May 1	May 15	May 16
Preliminary acreage	June 1	July 1	July 2
Revised acreage & forecast of production	Aug. 1	Aug. 8	Aug. 9

Tomatoes: (All States)

Final report on acreage, production & farm value		Dec. 13	Dec. 14
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Tomatoes:

Northern California

Intentions	May 1	May 15	May 16
Preliminary acreage	June 1	July 1	July 2
Revised acreage & forecast of production	Aug. 1	Aug. 8	Aug. 9

Southern California

Intentions	June 1	June 15	June 16
Preliminary acreage	July 15	Aug. 15	Aug. 16
Revised acreage and forecast of production	Sept. 1	Sept. 8	Sept. 9

Tomatoes: (for canning) Ark., Calif., Colo., Del., Ind., Iowa, Ill., Ky., Md., Mich., Mo., N.J., N.Y., Ohio, Penna., Tenn., Utah, Va. Other States (Coml, Ida., Minn., Nebr., N.Mex., Okla., Oreg., S.Car., Wash., W.Va., Wisc.)

Intention to plant	Apr. 25	May 25	May 26
Preliminary acreage	June 8	July 15	July 16
Revised acreage & forecast of production	Aug. 1	Aug. 15	Aug. 16
Final report on acreage, production and value	Oct. 1	Dec. 1	Dec. 2

Tomatoes: (General Crop)

Estimate of condition, three yearly reports- July, August and September.	1st of mo.	8th or 9th	8th or 9th
Estimate of yield per acre and percent of normal yield. (annual)	Oct. 1	Oct. 9	Oct. 9
Estimated farm price, 4 reports, July, August, September and October		15th of mo.	25th of mo. 25th of

Tomatoes:

Market News:

Daily market reports (page 2).

Temporary field stations on tomatoes (page 2) operated at -  
Belle Glade-Chosen, Fla.  
Brownsville, Texas  
Crystal Springs, Miss.  
Jacksonville, Texas

Shipment reports (page 3).

Unload reports (pages 3 and 4).

Foreign News:

Seasonal reports from the consuls in the producing areas of the West Indies and Mexico on the condition of the crops, markets and the quantity shipped to the United States. Published in the Foreign Service release series on vegetables and in Foreign Crops and Markets.

Miscellaneous Vegetables:

Crop Estimates:

Special reports on truck crops are issued semi-monthly discussing the weather conditions, insect pests and diseases, condition of crops together with tables showing area and production, estimate of acreage intended to be planted, and various other information of interest to truck growers.

Market News:

New York City and one or two other markets sometimes obtain and

publish daily market reports on products like -

Anise	Collards	Parsley
Artichokes	Dandelion Greens	Pumpkins
Beets	Endive	Radishes
Broccoli	Escarole	Rhubarb
Broccoli Greens	Horseradish	Rutabagas
Brussels Sprouts	Kale	Shallots
Cardoni	Leeks	Squash
Chicory	Mushrooms	Turnips
	Okra	

F.o.b. prices are obtained on a few of these products - beets, etc. - from southern shipping sections.

Shipment reports by wire on mixed vegetables.

Shipment reports by mail on dry beans and turnips.